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C O N F I D E N T I A L SAN JOSE 1649

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, CS

SUBJECT: FMS CASH SALE REQUEST

REF: STATE 89013 (NOTAL)

1. MINCSTER OF PUBLIC SECURITY HAS BEEN INFORMED OF CONTENTS REFERENCE MESSAGE. MINISTER HAS DECIDED CARBINES NEED NOT BE INSPECTED PRIOR TO DELIVERY. HOWEVER, HE HAS INFORMED MILGP THAT HE STILL WISHES TO MAKE SPECIAL SHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS AND DESIRES TO SEND MR. ENRIQUE MARTEN RAMIREZ TO NORWAY TO RECEIVE CARBINES. MARTEN WILL THEN MAKE THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR SHIPMENT. (MR. HSRTEN WAS DESIGNATED BY PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 116, DATED 9 DECEMBER 1974, AS A LIEUTENANT COLONEL, AD HONOREM, AND ADVISOR TO THE MINISTRY.)

2. PARAGRAPH 2 OF REFERENCED MESSAGE STATES THAT WHERE SPECIAL SHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS ARE ENTAILED, DELIVERY SHOULD BE MADE IN EUROPE. PLEASE ADVISE IF THIS MEANS NORWAY.

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3. NECESSARY FMS PAPERWORK HAS NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED BY MINISTRY, BUT IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE ON ITS WAY FROM COSTA RICAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

4. PRESIDENT ODUBER HAS EXPRESSED TO AMBASSADOR HIS PERSONAL REQUEST THAT SALE AND DELIVERY OF CARBINES BE ACCELERATED. HE DOES NOT EXPECT THAT THEY WILL HAVE TO BE USED IN NEAR FUTURE, BUT HE WANTS THEM AVAILABLE FOR POSSIBLE EMERGENCIES. EMBASSY URGES PROMPT USG ACTION TO CONCLUDE THIS SALE.
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